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IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicant: **John G. BEERENDS**

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Examiner: **Angela A. Armstrong**

Title: **MEASURING THE PERCEPTUAL QUALITY OF SPEECH SIGNALS
INCLUDING ECHO DISTURBANCES**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Applicant hereby respectfully petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time to respond to the Office Action (Paper No. 07182005) dated **August 19, 2005** for a period of **two (2)** months from **November 19, 2005** to and including **January 19, 2006**.

Attached hereto is a responsive amendment and our check payable to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks in the amount of **\$ 450.00** to cover the cost of the extension.

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Respectfully submitted,


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